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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Wang *et al.*  
Appl. No.: 10/656,394  
Filed: 9/5/03  
For: CLONING AND CHARACTERIZATION OF THE BROAD-SPECTRUM  
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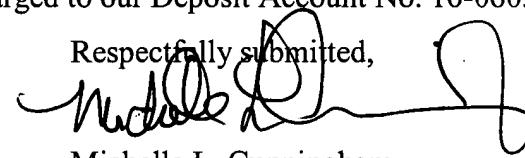
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**PETITION FOR A TWO MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) FOR SUBMITTING MISSING PARTS**

The Applicant hereby petitions for a **TWO** month extension of time for submitting the Declaration, Surcharge, Filing Fee, and Response to Notice to Comply with Requirements for Submission of Nucleotide Sequence (listed in the Notice to File Missing Parts) for the above-identified application. The Notice to File Missing Parts of Application-Filing Date Granted (PTO-1533) is dated February 17, 2004. Applicant is given two months from the date of said Notice within which to file the missing parts (i.e., April 17, 2004). This Petition thus requests that the due date for the missing parts be extended to June 17, 2004.

The required fee of \$420.00 [37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(2)] is enclosed; any additional fee or refund associated with this Petition may be charged to our Deposit Account No. 16-0605.

Respectfully submitted,



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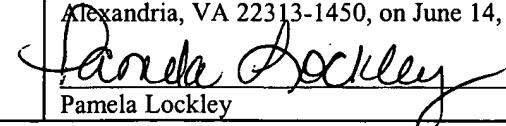
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